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▶ Roommates, from left, Pete Jaquay, Rob Potylo and Christiana Celli film the show "Quiet Desperation" from their rooftop in Allston's Everett Square.

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In the news

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Two urban farmers planning to build Boston's first rooftop farm, Higher Ground Farm, are $5,400 away from reaching their $20,000 goal on Kickstarter, an online fundraising platform. The farm would be located on the roof of the Boston Design Center. The campaign closes in five days. METRO

Today's local tweet

"To the girl sitting across from me on the T, sorry I keep zoning out on you I must look so creepy right now #mbta #daydreaming"

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In the news

Cahill

Cahill due in court this week

MASSACHUSETTS. Despite a deadlocked jury that led to a mistrial in his corruption case last year, former state Treasurer Tim Cahill is due back in court again this week.

Attorney General Martha Coakley has not yet said whether she will seek another trial for Cahill, who was accused of using public funds to boost his failed campaign for governor in 2010.

The hearing is set for Friday at Suffolk Superior Court. METRO/SHNS

MassDOT to discuss T budget

MASSACHUSETTS. Transportation officials are expected to meet and mull over the MBTA budget tomorrow morning.

MBTA Chief Financial Officer Jonathan Davis will brief the MassDOT panel on the T's fiscal year 2014 preliminary budget and the authority's debt, according to the State House News Service.

MassDOT officials are also expected to brief the board on second quarter Fiscal year 2013 finances. METRO/SHNS

Suffolk student in cop assault rap

BOSTON. A report of a loud party early Sunday ended with a Boston police officer being allegedly assaulted by a Suffolk University student.

Police responded to 28 Fleet St. in the North End at about 12:30 a.m. after multiple calls were placed to the university's loud party line. Upon arrival they could hear music coming from the building, police said.

After police waited 20 minutes for a response to their knocks, Dominque Demar, 21, of Colchester, Conn., opened the door and then allegedly slammed it on the officer's shoulder.

Demar allegedly tried to flee and was arrested for assault and battery and resisting arrest. METRO

'Quiet Desperation' shows the real Boston way in response to recent rash of reality television

- Web series chronicles the plight of 'the struggling artists' of Boston
- Show has a 'Curb Your Enthusiasm,' 'It's Always Sunny' kind of feel

Four years before "Southie Rules" and "Wicked Single" graced the nation's airwaves, casting what many consider to be a negative spotlight on the Hub, a self-proclaimed "artistic type" started filming his own Boston-based reality sitcom.

Allston comedian Rob Potylo, 36, has been in the trenches of Boston's artistic scene for a decade, but since 2009 he's been the creative force behind "Quiet Desperation," a Web series that he and his cohorts consider to be the answer to the rash of recent Boston-focused reality shows.

"It depicts some of the struggles that exist with being a creative type in an environment that caters to 'Southie Rules,' Aerosmith, Tom Brady and Dropkick Murphys," Potylo said of his series, which recently debuted its Season 4. "There is a whole group of budding creative types — in Brighton, Allston and Somerville. ... I think the larger corporate stations ... force these 'Southie Rules,' 'Wicked Single'-type shows down our throats, and think, 'It's "Jersey Shore" for Boston, that's what people want.'"

"Quiet Desperation" is riddled with banter, blazing bowls and profanity, but it's wrapped together with improvised comedy reminiscent of "Curb Your Enthusiasm" and "It's Always Sunny in Philadelphia."

"I just feel sometimes like Boston can be very hostile environment for creative types trying to invent themselves. ... We use comedy and humor to show that," said Potylo.

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Roommates Rob Potylo, standing, Christiana Celli and Pete Jaquay, film the show "Quiet Desperation" in Allston.

Quotes from the show

"Don't go all epileptic Muppet on me, OK? It's time to discuss the gas bill."

"This is not a squatter, OK? This is Yan, and he has the eyes of a f—ing Indigo Child."

"You look like you're wearing a f—ing dirty old sponge from the g—d— bottom of the g—d— f—ing Charles River."

300

Potylo said his Everett Square apartment has been a casual hub for more than 300 local comedians, musicians and artists. "Generally we've been using 'Quiet D' as a call to creative types in the area. If you need a place to express yourself, please come over," he said. Watch it at www.quietd.com.

The show

The mockumentary-style series is shot inside Potylo's Everett Square apartment, which he shares with co-stars Christiana Celli, 29, her boyfriend Pete Jaquay, 32, and various other "squatters" who come and go.

"I'm playing myself, just different colors and spectrums of myself," said Celli, one of the show's more dramatic characters. "I might be tapping into an old feeling when we're shooting, but it's all real. It's all me, just a little bit exaggerated."

As for the future of the series, Potylo said he wants more exposure.

"If AMC or IFC got behind a show like 'Quiet Desperation' with as much enthusiasm as 'Southie Rules,' you'd see some really unique things happening — a renaissance."

For Celli, it's about getting her hometown the recognition she feels it deserves: "My goal ... is to put Boston on the map."

News in brief

Foodie's Market opens in S. Boston

BOSTON. Be it "gourmet" or "every day," Southie townies and yuppies now have a one-stop shop for buying groceries.

On Saturday, Foodie's Market opened a new location on C Street and West Broadway in South Boston. New customers were rewarded with free hot dogs, samples, reusable bags and sales.

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According to city officials, the $3 million market is thanks to a $1.4 million investment by the City of Boston's Office of Business Development. The money was made possible by American Recovery and Reinvestment Act funding and will create more than 40 new jobs, officials said.

Foodie's Market has operated a location in the South End for 14 years.

The South Boston market is located in an expanded, previously vacant 7,700-square-foot storefront at 240 West Broadway. METRO

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In the news

After lockdown, MIT to review police action, communications

Officials from the Massachusetts Institute of Technology plan to conduct a review of police and communication actions during a report of an armed gunman on campus Saturday.

MIT said in a statement issued after Saturday's incident and unfounded report that a text message alert asking students to stay indoors was sent to school community members just before 9 a.m., an hour and 24 minutes after the initial report about the alleged gunman was made.

"At the conclusion of the ongoing investigation, MIT Police and other parts of the MIT administration will, as part of standard operating procedure, conduct an after-action review of MIT's police and communications actions during this event," MIT said in a statement.

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▶ Even though the report was unfounded, MIT said it will examine whether it notified students of a potentially lethal situation in a timely manner.

Time line

A time line of events from Saturday's campus lockdown:

- **7:28 a.m.** Cambridge Police respond to MIT after receiving a report through electronic message that a man with a gun is inside 77 Massachusetts Ave.
- **7:30 a.m.** Cambridge and MIT police respond to the location and enter the building to start a search.
- **7:43 a.m.** The perimeter of the building and immediate area was locked down and secured.
- **8:52 a.m.** Members of the MIT community receive a "precautionary text message" asking them to remain indoors and shelter in place.
- **10:30 a.m.** After a room-to-room search by college, city and state police, authorities clear the building.

A Cambridge Police Department spokesman said Sunday that there have not been any arrests and that detectives are following up on all available information.

Many colleges and universities have adopted various ways of alerting students to campus emergencies including through text messages in the aftermath of the 2007 Virginia Tech massacre. Officials at Virginia Tech, where 32 students were gunned down by a fellow classmate, were criticized after that incident because it took two hours before a campus-wide e-mail notification was sent out after the first shots were fired.

The report of a man with a gun inside 77 Massachusetts Ave., which houses the school's admissions office and other administration offices, came in through an electronic message, the school said.

The investigation is ongoing and anyone with information can contact Cambridge Police at 617-349-3300 or by anonymous e-mail or text at www.cambridgepolice.org/tips.

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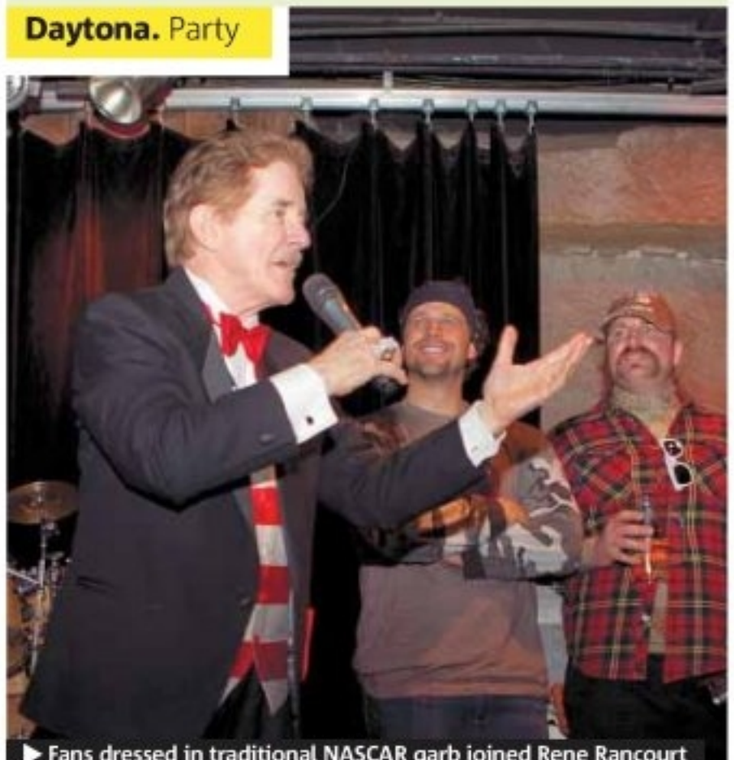

▶ Fans dressed in traditional NASCAR garb joined Rene Rancourt for a Daytona 500 viewing party in Faneuil Hall yesterday.

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Daytona descends on the Hub

While more than 100,000 showed up at the speedway to take in the Daytona 500 yesterday, the party wasn't confined to Florida. Ned Devine's hosted its "Great American Party" where patrons could watch the race and celebrate all things NASCAR. Bruins legend Rene Rancourt sang the national anthem to get things started. METRO

Schilling's soiled sock sells for smaller sum

Former Red Sox pitcher Curt Schilling put up his World Series bloody sock in an effort to bring in some money to help the fallout from his failed video game business, but the infamous piece of memorabilia did not earn as much as expected.

The sock, worn during Game 2 of the 2004 World Series, earned $92,613 at a live auction Saturday night, according to Heritage Auctions, the house responsible for the sale. The soiled sock was expected to sell for at least $100,000.

Online bidding on the sock started at the end of January and ended just before the live auction. According to Heritage Auctions' website, the sock attracted eight bidders with the highest online bid coming in at about $60,000.

The sock was previously on display for more than eight years at the Hall of Fame in Cooperstown, N.Y., but it was on loan and returned to Schilling.

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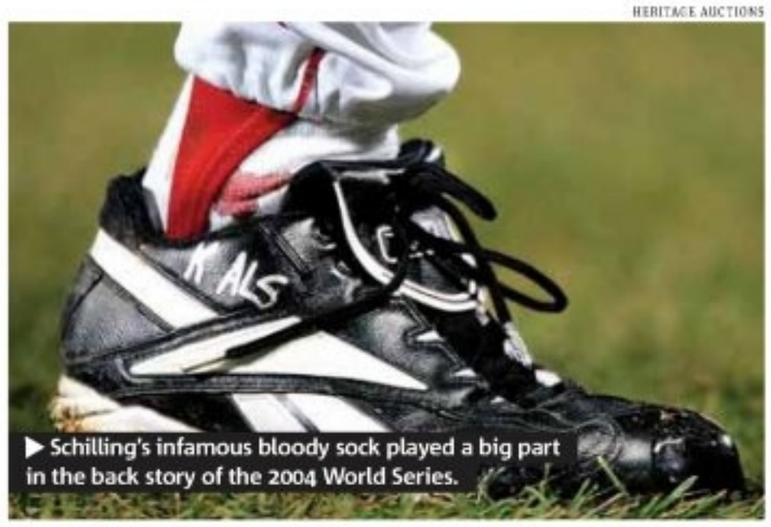

▶ Schilling's infamous bloody sock played a big part in the back story of the 2004 World Series.

$92K

The amount garnered at auction for the sock. It was expected to sell for at least $100,000 when the bidding started online at the end of January.

Schilling's business, 38 Studios, collapsed last year he moved it from Massachusetts to Rhode Island. He is being sued by a Rhode Island state agency that claims the company withheld information that would have prevented it from receiving a $75 million loan.

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Mo' memorabilia, mo' money

Schilling's sock wasn't the only piece of iconic sports memorabilia up for auction Saturday. Local legend and former Boston University hockey player Mike Eruzione put his 1980 Olympic hockey team jersey up for sale, along with some other items from that infamous "Miracle on Ice" Olympics. His jersey sold for more than $657,000, his stick brought in more than $262,000 and his hockey gloves earned $55,000.

▶ The jersey

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Governors say spending cuts will push US back to recession

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▶ The Pentagon would furlough as many as 800,000 civilian employees, requiring them to take unpaid time off.

Federal budget cuts will probably push the U.S. back into recession by damaging state economies recovering from the worst fiscal crisis since the Great Depression, governors said.

President Barack Obama and Congress need to find a way to prevent $85 billion in across-the-board spending cuts from taking effect beginning March 1, said Republican and Democratic governors who are in Washington this weekend for a meeting of the National Governors Association.

The cuts will lead to the dismissal of teachers and firefighters, and reduce projected spending by $1.2 trillion over the next nine years, with half in defense spending and half from domestic spending. Governors said the threat of cuts has already damaged their economies, which they said will worsen if the president and lawmakers can't agree.

750K

Spending reductions could cost 750,000 jobs by the end of 2013.

"I don't think there is any doubt" that the required reductions "could put us right back where we were," Jack Markell, the Democratic governor of Delaware and the chairman of the National Governors Association, said on "Fox News Sunday." The cuts would have "a real big impact on the economy and jobs," he said.

The cuts would be especially visible in states where federal spending is higher, including Maryland, Virginia and Hawaii. In a Feb. 18 letter to Obama, Virginia Gov. Robert McDonnell, a Republican, said the reductions could force his state into a recession. **REUTERS**

The GDP and job loss

Federal spending reductions could lower the gross domestic product by 0.6 percent and cost 750,000 jobs by the end of 2013, according to the Congressional Budget Office. The U.S. economy unexpectedly shrank in the fourth quarter, logging the worst performance since the second quarter of 2009.

In the news

Daytona 500 races on despite 28 injuries

DAYTONA BEACH. The Daytona 500 NASCAR race went ahead yesterday despite a crash on Saturday that injured more than 20 fans, as well as questions regarding the safety of the famous speedway and the possibility of lawsuits.

Officials said they had repaired the fencing that was damaged after the pile-up, which sent debris flying into the crowd and injuring fans on the final lap of Saturday's second-tier Nationwide race. **REUTERS**

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▶ The crash

McCain: Hagel not qualified for defense position

WASHINGTON. Republican Sen. John McCain yesterday said his former colleague Chuck Hagel is not qualified to be U.S. defense secretary but that the Senate would likely vote on his nomination rather than hold it up with procedural hurdles.

"I do not believe that Chuck Hagel, who is a friend of mine, is qualified to be secretary of defense," McCain of Arizona said on CNN's "State of the Union" show yesterday. **REUTERS**

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▶ Castro

Fidel Castro makes surprise appearance

HAVANA. Retired Cuban leader Fidel Castro made a rare public appearance yesterday by joining the opening session of the National Assembly, state media reported amid speculation that the gathering could give clues on planning for a future leadership succession.

Since falling ill in 2006 and ceding the presidency to his brother, Fidel Castro has given up all official positions except as a deputy in the National Assembly. At yesterday's session, he took his seat beside brother President Raul Castro, only the second time he has graced the assembly chambers since his illness and the first since 2010.

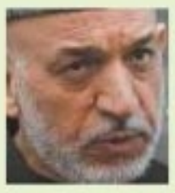
Fidel Castro's surprise appearance added to expectations, fueled by his brother, that the usually routine session might shed light on future leadership of the communist-run nation.

In a back-and-forth with reporters on Friday, Raul Castro joked about his eventual retirement and urged them to pay attention to yesterday's conclave, which is closed to foreign journalists. **REUTERS**

Afghan president expels US forces from key province

KABUL. Afghan President Hamid Karzai has given U.S. special forces two weeks to leave a key battleground province after some U.S. soldiers there were found to have tortured or even killed innocent people, the president's spokesman said yesterday.

The decision by Karzai could further complicate negotiations between the United States and Afghanistan over the presence of American troops in the country once most NATO forces leave by the end of 2014.



Speaking at a news conference in Kabul, Karzai's spokesman Aimal Faizi said villagers in Wardak province had lodged a series of complaints about operations conducted by U.S. special forces and a group of Afghans working with them.

The decision was reached at a Sunday meeting of the Afghan National Security Council, chaired by Karzai, Faizi said.

"The Ministry of Defense was assigned to make sure all U.S. special forces are out of the province within two weeks," he said. **REUTERS**

On final Sunday, pope says he's following God's wishes

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▶ Pope Benedict XVI leaves after delivering his last Angelus Blessing from the window of his private apartment to thousands of pilgrims gathered in Saint Peter's Square yesterday in Vatican City.

Pope Benedict spoke from his window for the last time yesterday, telling the faithful packed into St. Peter's Square that the first papal abdication in centuries was God's will and insisting he was not "abandoning" the church.

Four days before the 85-year-old's often troubled eight-year rule ends, new talk of scandal hit the cardinals who will choose his successor; one of them, a Scottish archbishop, had to deny a media allegation of misconduct with young priests in the 1980s.

With an American cardinal urged not to go to the electoral conclave due to his role in handling sexual abuse cases in the United States and the Vatican accusing media of running smears to influence the vote, the Catholic Church faces a stormy succession.

Benedict, however, defended his shocking decision to resign as dictated by his failing health; his address to tens of thousands of well-wishers was met with calls of "Viva il Papa!"

Quoted

"The Lord is calling me to climb the mountain, to dedicate myself even more to prayer and meditation."

POPE BENEDICT XVI

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Cardinals are due to enter the conclave to choose a successor

"But this does not mean abandoning the church. Actually, if God asks this of me, it is precisely because I can continue to serve her with the same dedication and the same love I have shown so far," he said, adding that he would be serving the church "in a way more in keeping with my age and my strengths" **REUTERS**

Catholic activists petition LA cardinal not join enclave

Roman Catholic activists on Saturday petitioned a U.S. cardinal to recuse himself from taking part in selecting a new pope so as not to insult survivors of sexual abuse by priests committed while he was archbishop of Los Angeles.

The activists delivered a petition with nearly 10,000 signatures to the north Hollywood church where Cardinal Roger Mahony resides.

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Why the asterisk is a new symbol of pride

Leading Native Americans in higher education take on the mark of 'statistical insignificance' Visibility in research and data is key

When academics generate data on race in higher education, they often include an asterisk next to the Native American category. That little mark lets researchers know the population is "statistically not significant," usually meaning roughly less than 1 percent of the student population.

In March, Stylus Publishing will release what is perhaps the most comprehensive collection of writing by Native American scholars to date: "Beyond the Asterisk: Understanding Native Students in Higher Education." With contributions from more than a dozen leading Native Americans in higher education, the new book examines the Native American college experience from almost every angle — from the first-year experience, to tribal colleges, to Native American Greek organizations and culturally sensitive housing.

"One of the things that constantly came up [for the Native American academics] was this concept of invisibility: in scholarship, research, data, curriculum and on the campuses," says Heather J. Shotton, the lead editor of the book. Shotton is a professor at Oklahoma University and a member of the Wichita and Affiliated Tribes. "For us, the idea was to offer some perspective on Native students, from Native professors."

Shotton is quick to point out that the Native experience is different from other minority groups.

"I think what separates Native students is that Native people are not just a racial or ethnic group. We are also considered a political group," she says. "We are citizens of sovereign nations — tribal nations, but also citizens of the United States."

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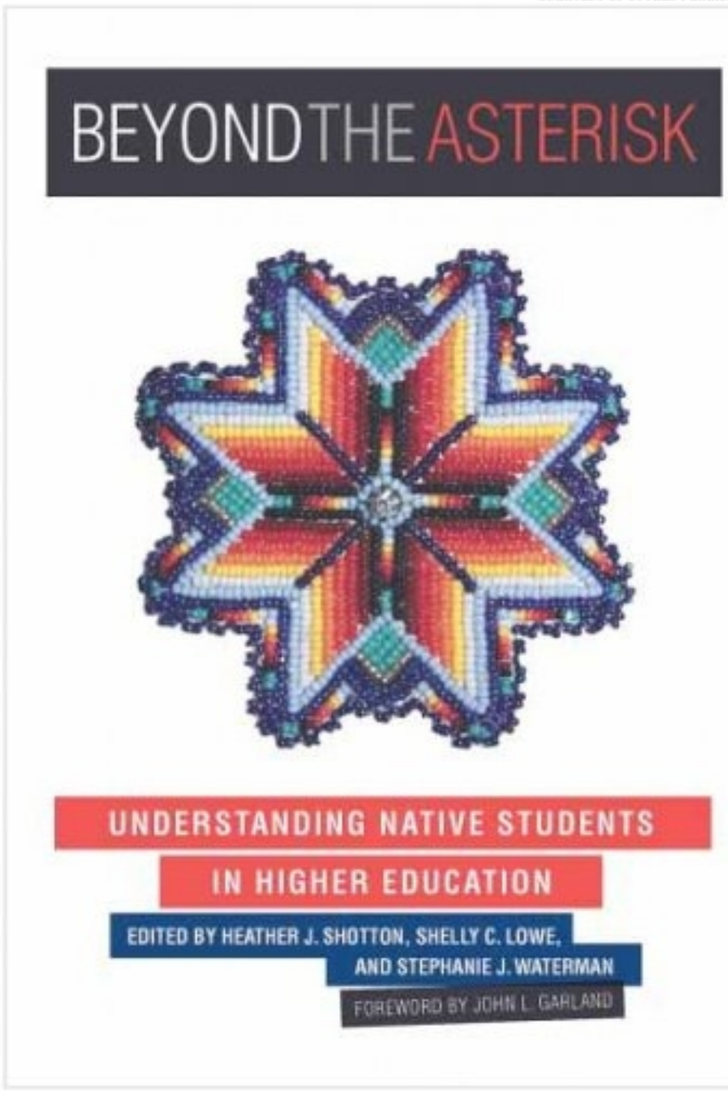
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Education notes

Website tackles student loan debt

President Barack Obama paid off his student loans just nine years ago. If Student Loan Hero existed then, he may have been able to pay them off sooner.

Student Loan Hero is a startup that gives student borrowers tools to repay their loans faster. Students and grads carry more than $1 trillion in student debt right now, and 65 percent of borrowers misunderstand their student loan obligations

"Unlike the mortgage crisis, student loans are not dischargeable through bankruptcy, nor do you have an asset to liquidate," said CEO Andrew Josuweit. "Student Loan Hero is on a mission to help the 37 million borrowers with outstanding loans. At age 17, very few borrowers are in the position to make an educated decision on a $100,000 investment. Our financial aid system does not give borrowers the financial literacy necessary to make such a significant decision."

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▶ Student loan debt totals $1 trillion.

Josuweit said students loans are now the second largest form of household debt, surpassing credit cards and auto loans. When he graduated from college, Josuweit had 16 loans from four banks tolling $104,000. He didn't have access to the tools or guidance he needed to effectively manage his finances, so he founded a startup.

Since launching in September, Student Loan Hero has reviewed more than $60 million. The average customer has eight loans and $55,480 in student loan debt, but some students have upward of 25 loans and $300,000 in debt.

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I want to wish Daniel Day Lewis luck today. I think he did an okay job as Lincoln, but I would have brought more layers to it.

@Oprah
My Hollywood day will be in pj's . Having a pj Oscar party with my girls and Stedman.

Rivers

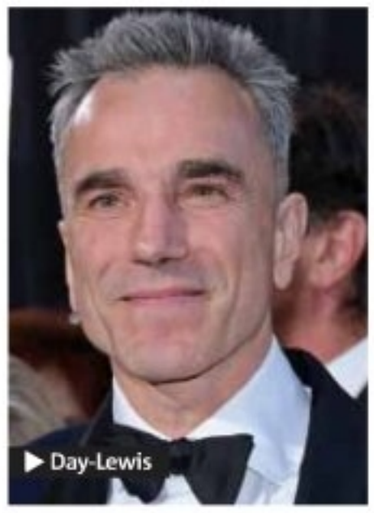
'Argo,' 'Life of Pi' take Oscars

It was **Ben Affleck**'s night as his film, "Argo," earned the top prize at the 85th Annual Academy Awards. Despite Affleck being shut out of the Best Director race, his CIA-meets-Hollywood drama snagged the top prize of Best Picture in a night of scattershot awards distribution. "Argo" also earned Oscars for Best Adapted Screenplay for Chris Terrio and for Best Editing. Outside of the Best Picture race, there was no movie that had a clean sweep. **Ang Lee**'s "Life of Pi" came closest, earning four awards — the most of any film this year — including Best Director for Lee, while "Les Miserables" scored three. **Jennifer Lawrence** earned the only award for "Silver Linings Playbook," winning her first Oscar for Best Actress.

In a rare Oscars tie, the award for Best Sound Editing was shared by "Zero Dark Thirty" and "Skyfall." For history buffs, the last time there was a tie for an Oscar was in 1968, when **Barbra Streisand** shared the award for Best Actress with **Katharine Hepburn**. **Daniel Day-Lewis** also made history Sunday night by becoming the first actor to win three Best Actor trophies after his win for "Lincoln."

As expected, "Argo" was the big winner of the night, with Affleck taking the stage to accept the award for Best Picture. Despite the film's success, Affleck was not nominated for Best Director, leaving him out of the awards race. Affleck's film was also nominated for Best Adapted Screenplay, Best Editing, Best Sound Editing and Best Supporting Actor for **Alan Arkin**.

Joseph Gordon-Levitt, Oscar host Seth MacFarlane and Daniel Radcliffe provided some early onstage entertainment.



Day-Lewis

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"Why can't they just get Tina [Fey] and Amy [Poehler] to host the show? Why can't Tina and Amy host everything?"
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Michael Haneke's "Amour" won for Best Foreign Language Film and **Anne Hathaway** earned a trophy for Best Supporting Actress for her role in "Les Miserables" as the tragic Fantine. "I look up to you all so much, and it's just been such an honor," Hathaway said, paying tribute to her fellow nominees. And **Adele** easily took the Best Song category for "Skyfall," breaking down in tears in the middle of her speech and letting co-writer **Paul Epworth** finish up.

Awards aside, the ceremony itself was something of a mixed bag as hosted by "Family Guy" creator and Best Song nominee **Seth MacFarlane**, known for both his love of old-school crooning and envelope-pushing humor. MacFarlane opened the show by doing the seemingly impossible: making usually dour **Tommy Lee Jones** smile and laugh. He also poked fun at other nominees — "If you bumped into **Don Cheadle** on the studio lot, did you try to free him?" he asked nominee Day-Lewis. "How far did your Method go?" — and himself. His monologue was interrupted by **William Shatner** chastising him onscreen for doing a poor job, including singing a song about Oscar-nominated actresses going topless called "We Saw Your Boobs."

But it was rough sailing from there, including awkward bits by **Paul Rudd** and **Melissa McCarthy** and the cast of "The Avengers." The choice to use the theme from "Jaws" to play off winners when they go long was particularly odd. One of the highlights of the ceremony was a rendition of "Goldfinger" by **Dame Shirley Bassey** during a tribute to the Bond franchise, even if it did seem too brief. Later in the show, Best Song nominee **Adele** kept the Bond love going with a stirring rendition of "Skyfall." And **Catherine Zeta-Jones** wowed the audience with "All That Jazz" from "Chicago" during a tribute to movie musicals.

The weekend's other awards

CESARS: Friday night brought with it the Cesars, France's answer to the Academy Awards. Michael Haneke's "Amour" won Best Film, while Ben Affleck's "Argo" earned Best Foreign Film. "Amour" earned four other trophies as well, including Best Director and Original Screenplay for Haneke, Best Actor for Jean-Louis Trintignant and Best Actress for Emmanuelle Riva, who was also nominated for an Oscar for her performance. "Rust and Bone," a surprise shut-out at the Oscars, picked up two Cesars — Best Adapted Screenplay for Jacques Audiard and Best Male Newcomer for Matthias Schoenaerts.

Lawrence

SPIRIT AWARDS: Oscar hopeful "Silver Linings Playbook" dominated the Film Independent Spirit Awards, held Saturday afternoon in a tent on the beach in Santa Monica. "Silver Linings" nabbed the top prize, while David O. Russell won statues for best director and best screenplay, and Jennifer Lawrence won best actress. The film's stiffest competition, fellow Oscar-nominee "Beasts of the Southern Wild," earned one award, going to Ben Richardson for best cinematography. John Hawkes and Oscar nominee Helen Hunt picked up best actor and best supporting actress statues for "The Sessions," while Matthew McConaughey won best supporting actor for "Magic Mike."

RAZZIES: Members of the Hollywood community with more of a sense of humor spent Oscars Eve announcing the winners of the Golden Raspberries — or Razzie — dubious awards marking the worst in cinema for the year. "The Twilight Saga: Breaking Dawn - Part 2" dominated Saturday night, earning seven awards including worst film, worst ensemble cast, worst actress for Kristen Stewart, worst supporting actor for Taylor Lautner and worst director for Bill Condon.

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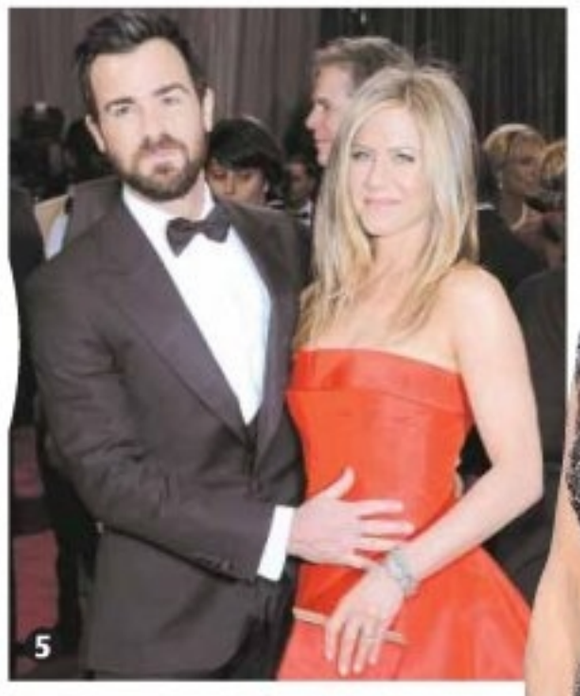
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Oscars red carpet

1 **Jessica Chastain** glimmered in gold Armani Prive.

2 **Amy Adams** revisited her "Enchanted" days in this ethereal Oscar de la Renta frock.

3 **Jennifer Garner** wore Gucci for her attendance in support of hubby **Ben Affleck**.

4 "I didn't know what I was wearing until about three hours ago," **Anne Hathaway** said of her Prada gown. Her nipples could have used a little more foresight. Just minutes after she arrived, the @annesheadlights Twitter account had been created.

5 A sign of affection or a hint at a baby bump? Whatever **Jen Aniston** (in Valentino) and **Justin Theroux** were doing in this stolen moment, they looked good doing it.

6 2010's Best Actress, **Sandra Bullock**, dazzled in Elie Saab.

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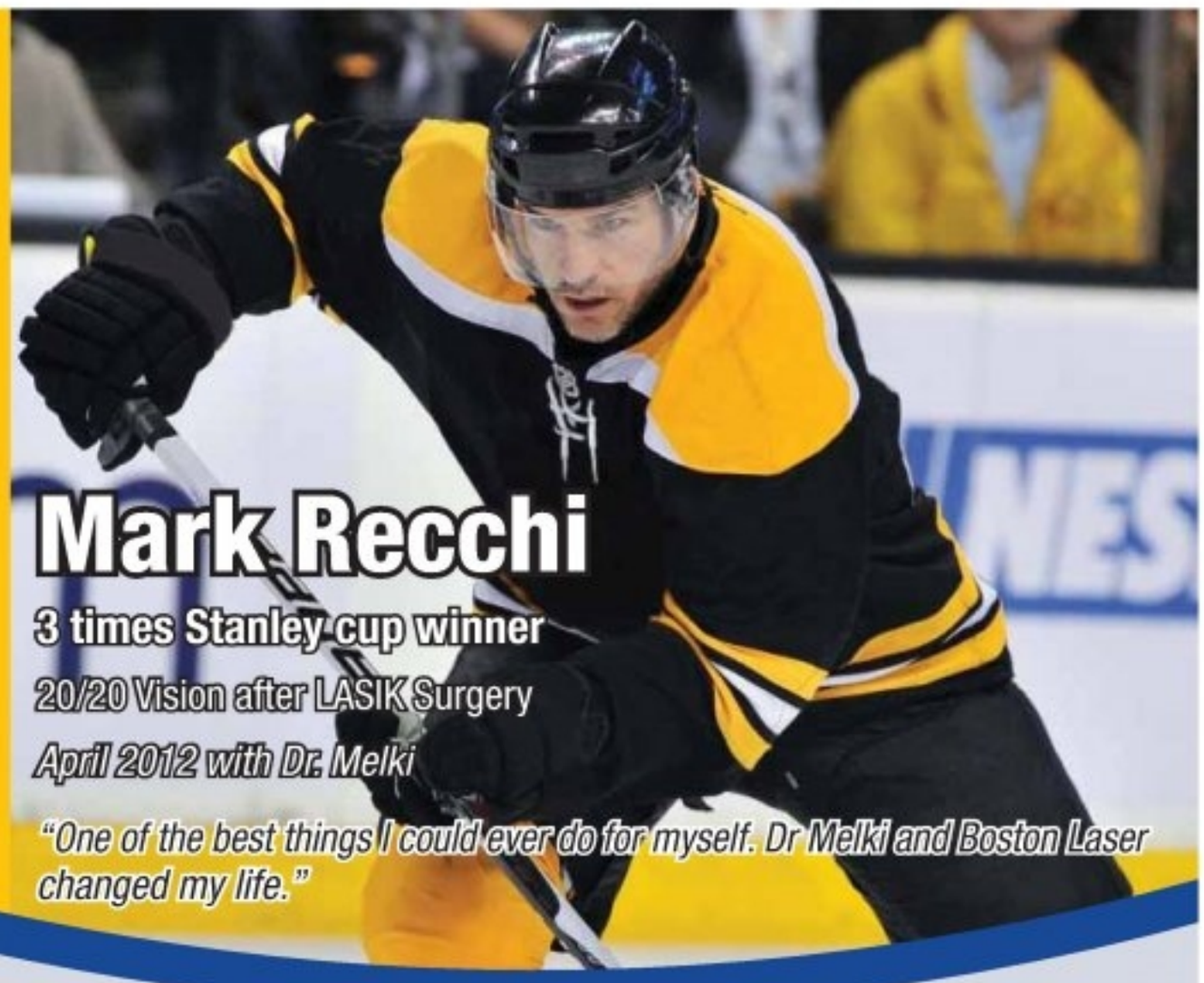

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Each of us has our own individual relationship to money. It starts at a young age — we pick up a financial blueprint that affects us in many ways. Some people have grown to believe in "lack" and therefore never feel they have enough. Others may have grown up to believe in abundance, and as a result money flows to them freely. But regardless of our financial background, for many folks, fear shows up in some way when it comes to money.

Our thoughts about money make us feel a certain way, and that feeling gives off an energy that either supports our earning capacity or negatively affects it. Energy is currency. In order to use our energy to earn more and have financial freedom, we need to clean up our thoughts and beliefs.

Our fearful beliefs around money block abundance in many ways. If you want to clear those blocks, you first have to become conscious of them. Many folks dwell in a lack mentality, believing that there will never be enough. Then there are those people who place external power on money and see themselves as not good enough if they don't have a lot. Another way fear blocks our earning capacity is through the belief that there's not enough to go around. This belief system weakens your energy and therefore lessons your earning capacity.

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"Energy is currency. In order to use our energy to earn more and have financial freedom, we need to clean up our thoughts and beliefs."
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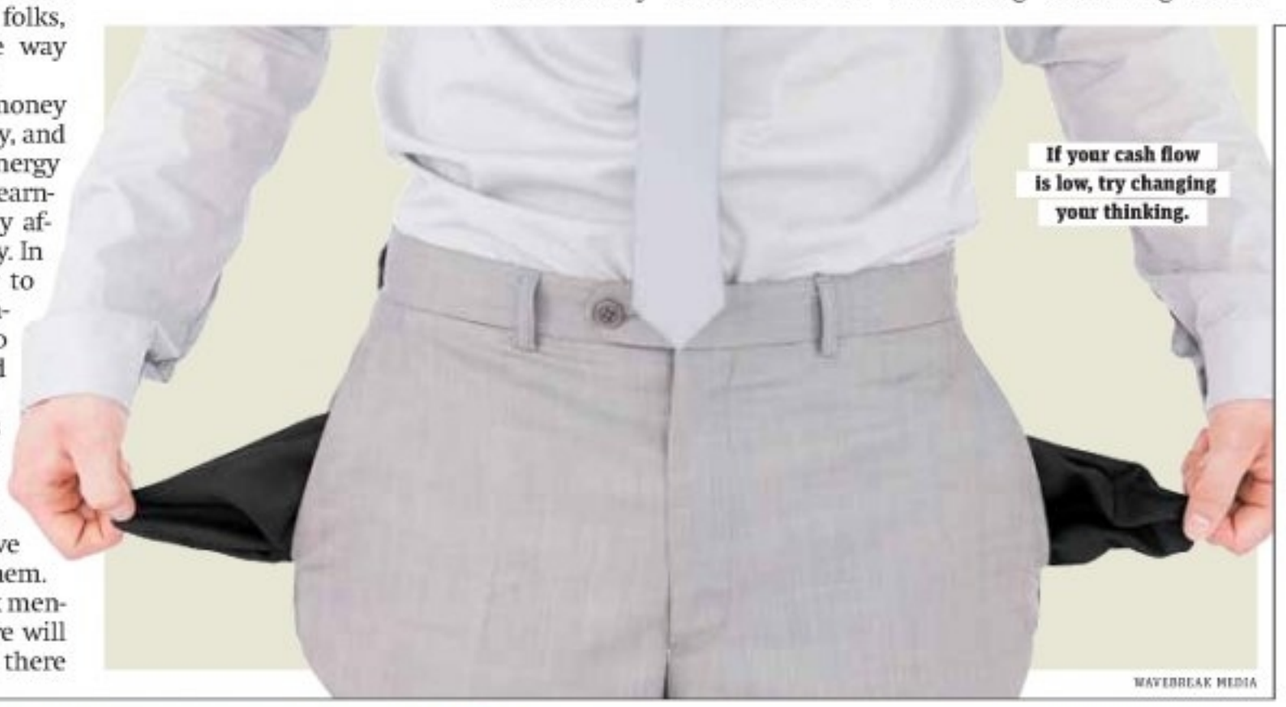
Get honest with yourself and identify whether one or more of these fears have blocked you. Your honesty is the first step to clearing these patterns. Throughout the day, witness your thoughts, energy and behavior around money. Take note of how your energy either supports your earning or weakens it.

Then, in the moment, you can create a perceptual shift. Immediately forgive yourself for having that thought and choose to see it differently. Choose a new thought, like "I am grateful for what I do have and I choose not to focus on my lack." This simple shift can redirect your energy.

Another great tip for shifting your energy around money comes from Marie Forleo, entrepreneurial expert and the founder of Rich Happy and Hot B-School. Forleo says: "Realize you are on this earth for a reason and the world needs that special gift that only you have. By devaluing yourself or failing to get your talent out into the world, you're stealing from those who need you most."

For more guidance, visit www.gabbyb.tv/b-school. And if you want a full-blown mind cleanse around money, pick up my new book, "May Cause Miracles," and pay close attention to the finance chapter.



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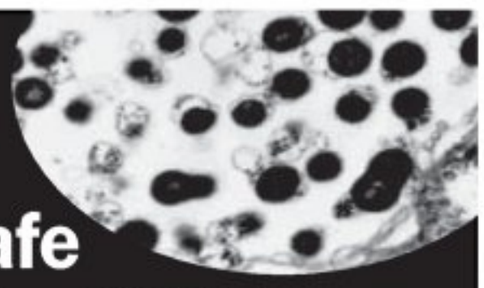

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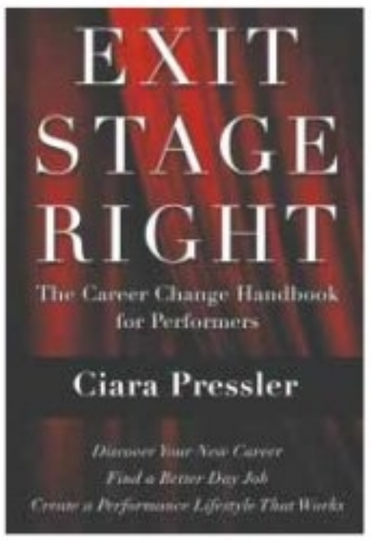

How to perform successfully offstage

Didn't nab that Oscar? How to take your skills as a performer into a new career path Ask for the salary you deserve Work smart

Making the decision to jump careers is a tough one, especially when leaving a personal passion behind. Former performer and author of "Exit Stage Right: The Career Change Handbook for Performers," Ciara Pressler says that, "If your dreams have changed, that's okay. It's time to find your next career passion. The point is to keep evolving as a person and let your career reflect that."

What is the best way to mentally prepare for such a change?
The key is to be honest with yourself about what you want now, which may no longer be the exact same passion as when you started out. It seems daunting to navigate a career change, but there is a step-by-step process you can follow to move forward with less stress and more support.

What are common struggles people face in making the choice to leave a performing career?
Performers don't realize the wealth of strengths and experience they bring to another role, even in a new industry. The skills and habits developed through performing can put you ahead of most job candidates, if you understand how to position yourself for your target job.

What are the best ways to keep engaged in your field not as a performer?
Engagement is a choice. Know what motivates you to stay in the game. Create short-term goals and make a decision to approach your job with the same creativity and dedication to excellence that you brought to your performing career.

What are mistakes people make in getting that first full-time job offstage?
Undervaluing themselves. Performers work for free too often or are paid far less than they deserve, and then they bring that baggage to the next career. It's important to establish your value through negotiating confidently, working smart over hard and maintaining a loyal network.

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▶ Ciara Pressler is a former performer and the author of "Exit Stage Right: The Career Change Handbook for Performers."

Redefine yourself

- Get clear on whether it's time to 1) fix your performing career, 2) find a better support career, or 3) change careers altogether.
- Start with your strengths, then organize your résumé and cover letter to showcase what makes you unique.
- It really is about who you know — networking and making authentic connections should be a priority.

Quoted

"Engagement is a choice. Know what motivates you to stay in the game." PRESSLER

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Creating inspired productivity

A quaint, brightly colored plant in the corner may be one manager's idea of how to boost company morale, but we know there are more impressive moves to make. We spoke to several forward-thinking employers and learned that it takes a dash of creativity to create a more productive work environment.

Get healthy

A healthy worker is a more productive worker, which is another reason to promote an active lifestyle within the office. Punit Dhillion is the CEO of OnocoSec Medical, and he has set up a communal bike share at the office so that people can bike to lunch. "I believe that being active boosts your energy levels and your mood. We adopted a policy that encourages staff to engage in physical activity during their breaks," says Dhillion. That's one way to get past that mid-afternoon caffeine crash.

Add movement

Take a look at the office layout and ask yourself if it allows space for mobility. "You don't need to add more space to mix it up — just make use of the spots that go empty for hours," says Kevin Kuske, general manager at Steelcase, a company that designs workspaces for small businesses. With a background in anthropology, Kuske focuses on turning offices into idea incubators. "In your design, truly support mobility by having a variety of work areas and addressing practical things like having power near all couches, counters and group areas."

Talk to the employees

Of course, before you start adding standing desks to each cubicle, speak with the employees and learn what it is that they want. "I know that sounds obvious, but I am amazed how infrequently leaders ask people what would improve productivity, morale or engagement," says Rick Maurer, author of "Beyond the Wall of Resistance." Your employees are your best resource, so go to them. JULIA WEST

▶ Taking a bike ride to have some lunch can change your mind-set and increase productivity at the office.

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▶ Everyone flubs a job interview at some point. Don't forget: All is not lost.

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It's still possible to salvage an interview gone wrong Reflect on the experience to get beyond it Don't forget to follow up, no matter how bad things went

It's inevitable that everyone will have at least one catastrophic job interview. Perhaps you got lost and showed up 10 minutes late. Maybe you called the interviewer by the wrong name or couldn't seem to properly express why you wanted the position.

Regardless of what went wrong, bad interviews can be salvaged. Before you hang your head too low, take a look at how you can make the most of a bad interview.

Reflect on the experience

Start by putting a positive spin on things and focusing on what went well. This allows you to acknowledge the bad things with a less self-defeating attitude.

Then, note what you would change about the interview and identify exactly where you went wrong.

Build a bridge and get over it

It's natural to focus on your negative feelings for a bit, but try not to linger on them. Accept what happened and move on.

Live and learn

After pinpointing your mistakes, figure out what you should have done instead. If this job interview didn't go well, it's still an opportunity for a learning experience and it can serve as practice for future interviews.

Follow up and explain what happened

As always, send a thank-you note to the interviewer to thank them for their time. This can let you acknowledge whatever slip-ups you made.

For example, if you had a weird response to a question they posed, you can recognize the fact that you misunderstood the question and apologize for any confusion.

Notify the interviewer of any outside distractions

If your interview was a bust because you were distracted by a major life event (a death in the family, for example) it's okay to contact the employer afterward and explain this. Don't use it as an excuse, but rather as a quick explanation following up an apology for being distracted.

Regardless of whether they take this into consideration when assessing the candidates, you will feel better about how you left things.

Tip

Only apologize for specific slip-ups

Your interview probably wasn't as bad as you think, so you definitely don't want to portray yourself poorly for no reason.

If there are mistakes that weren't acknowledged at the time (for example, calling your interviewer by the wrong name), you can mention that you realized you misspoke.

Apologize briefly and use your discretion as to whether an explanation is necessary. For example, try: "My roommate's name is Diane, so I must have had that name stuck in my head!"

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Dogs are cute, but they aren't human

RE: "THE FAMILY PET IS AS AS VALUABLE AS YOUR KID" (METRO, FEB. 22-24) What is wrong with people nowadays? The pet is nowhere near equal to kids. And if you believe so, you are just as insane as McCready. If a gunman said only one shall live — bye-bye, Fido. We can get another.
WILLIAM BUTLER, VIA E-MAIL

I have had and enjoyed dogs and cats over the years. They should be treated with kindness. I have no problem locking up animal abusers for the criminals that they are.

However, I do not equate animals with human life. To fling this hatred on a woman so disturbed that she took her own life is more than a little shocking it's vile. Dogs and cats are not human beings!
MICHAEL WALSH, VIA E-MAIL

Paris isn't tinted with roses — that's just your glasses

RE: "BECAUSE NOTHING'S AS HEALTHY AS THE FRENCH ECONOMY" (METRO, FEB. 22-24) The letter to the editor about how well people live in France was interesting, yet flawed. Letter writer Lewis Walsh said that Americans should emulate the wonderful standard of living and overall happiness of the French. The author does not seem to be aware that in each of the past several years, working-class neighborhoods outside Paris have erupted in riots, with more than 1,000 cars set on fire to protest poor living standards and high unemployment. Unemployment in France — which is suffering from poor competitiveness and high taxes — is about 11 percent, much worse than the stubbornly high 8 percent that America has suffered during the Obama administration.
RON FALCON, VIA E-MAIL

One serving doesn't fit all

RE: "USDA'S CONFLICT OF INTEREST MAKING AMERICANS FAT" (METRO, FEB. 20) The most positive element of the USDA and the first lady's campaign to shift from the obsolete Food Pyramid to the Myplate concept is how it puts the onus for healthy eating on each family/individual. It's my plate, it's your plate. Body type and heritage go far in defining how an individual should build their respective plates. Each person has to seek out the best course of action for themselves. Regarding American's relative unrestricted access to commodities, it's unsurprising that society fawns over thin people. Slower metabolisms developed by means of natural selection in hunter-gatherer societies where survival through lean winters was a battle for generations. People with slower metabolisms get very frustrated in this society of sugar and spice because they must work out more than those with faster metabolisms.

Just telling everyone to eat more fruits and vegetables leaves a number of folks out of the picture. There is no one-size-fits-all diet in this world. Some people have to realize that they should rarely eat fruit or drink fruit juices if they want to maintain an ancestral weight. Some people are tempted to throw in the towel because they would rather have the sugar and salt, and it isn't really "fair" that they have the body they were born with.

Realize that everything you face is surmountable, be it stress, diet, finances, anger, addiction, loneliness or doubt — all you have to do is be courageous and ask for help.
JOSEPH DUNLAVEY, VIA E-MAIL

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♓ Pisces **Feb. 20-March 20.** Unless you plan very carefully, you may have little to show for your effort — regardless of how hard you work. You wouldn't plan to build a bridge without a blueprint, would you?
♈ Aries **March 21-April 19.** You're likely to get an opportunity to show someone important that you're willing to stand behind him or her even if others aren't. Don't miss this boat.
♉ Taurus **April 20-May 20.** Unless you are extremely prudent, it's not likely to be one of your better days for buying or selling anything — mostly because you'll be indifferent.
♊ Gemini **May 21-June 20.** If you hope to win the confidence and respect of your friends, you'll need to have the courage to speak out for the things you believe in. However, do so in a respectful manner.
♋ Cancer **June 21-July 22.** Be careful about usurping an associate's ideas. Chances are you could easily miss the most important point and lose the message in the translation.
♌ Leo **July 23-Aug. 22.** There is a strong chance that something that looks good on paper might not work too well in reality. Before getting too deeply involved, study the matter much more carefully.
♍ Virgo **Aug. 23-Sept. 22.** You'll encounter far less opposition if you do what needs to be done without calling any attention to yourself. It's OK to aim high, but do so behind closed doors or in the shadows.
♎ Libra **Sept. 23-Oct. 23.** If an old, trusted friend tells you something in confidence that he or she doesn't want revealed to others, make sure this person's trust is justified – abide by his or her wishes.
♏ Scorpio **Oct. 24-Nov. 22.** Falling short of your mark might be traceable to your methods and not to the nature of the project itself. Working hard is part of the solution, but you must be smart as well.
♐ Sagittarius **Nov. 23-Dec. 21.** Wishful thinking will lead to repeating an old mistake, even if you know better. It's foolish to believe that doing the same thing could lead to a totally different conclusion.
♑ Capricorn **Dec. 22-Jan. 19**. Certain things you should be taking care of personally you might unwisely delegate to others. Unfortunately, no matter how hard they try, they won't be up to your standards.
♒ Aquarius **Jan. 20-Feb. 19.** When negotiating an important agreement, know what you're getting into and be mindful of the small details — especially if you know that you'll be held to exacting terms.
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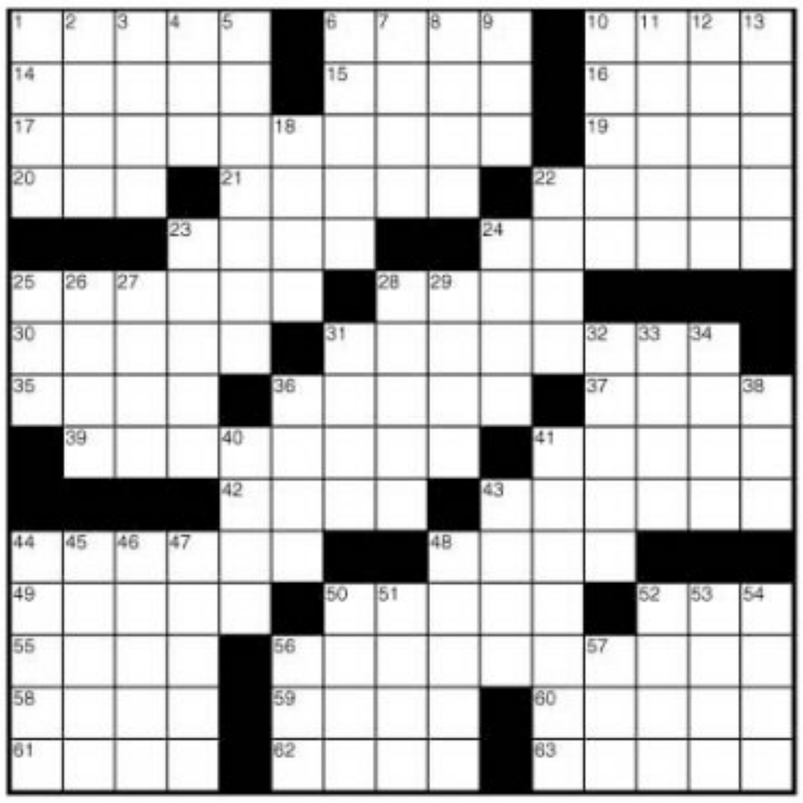

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Solution to weekend's crossword

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Bruins still on hot streak, sweep quick Florida trip

- Bruins pound Panthers in Florida
- Chara, Paille, Kelly sharp in win
- Penalty kill remains impressive

It's been a productive vacation for the Bruins, away from the snow and dreary weather in Boston. They improved to 3-1 on their season-high five game road trip and won their third straight game, 4-1, yesterday at Florida's BB&T Center against the lowly Panthers.

The B's (11-2-2) jumped out to a 2-0 lead in the first period, the Panthers (5-9-4) answered with a goal later in the frame, but Boston added a goal in the second period and an empty-netter in the third for their first three-goal lead of the season.

Tuukka Rask (9-1-2) was busy as he made 34 saves, though most weren't particularly dangerous chances.

It was a strange game in the sense that nine Bruins had points but only Daniel Paille (goal, assist) had multiple points and Chris Kelly finally notched his first goal of the season, on the power play of all places.

Milan Lucic scored on a wrist shot to make it 1-0, then Zdeno Chara added what had to be one of the prettiest goals of his soon-to-be Hall of Fame career.

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The Bruins continue to have the best penalty kill in the league and have 21 straight kills over the last six games. They are 4-2 during that stretch.

Chara spun around a Panther in the slot then scored on a backhander after he went to the net. Tomas Kopecky recorded Florida's only goal, fittingly on a broken play and with tons of traffic in front of Rask.

Kelly's power play strike came after Paille's attempted shot was deflected right to him and he only had to redirect it past Panthers goaltender Jacob Markstrom (28 saves). Boston will make its way back to TD Garden after wrapping up its road trip tomorrow (7:30 p.m., NESN) in Long Island. In their previous meeting, the Bruins beat the Islanders (8-9-1), 4-2, on Jan. 25 in Boston.

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▶ Tuukka Rask makes one of his 34 saves yesterday.

Quoted

"My game is simple. That's not my priority. But I was glad and happy we got the lead with that goal."

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Sports in brief

Johnson wins Daytona, Patrick makes history

NASCAR. It will be remembered for its horrific Saturday crash and as a weekend of firsts for Danica Patrick, but Jimmie Johnson ultimately owned the 2013 Daytona 500.

Johnson won his second "Great American Race" Sunday as he pushed well-ahead of Patrick and others in the final six laps. Johnson also won Daytona in 2006.

Patrick, meanwhile, made history on the day, becoming the first woman in history to lead laps. She finished eighth overall. **MATT BURKE**

Lester impressive in spring debut

MLB. Jon Lester retired all six batters he faced Sunday in a 5-3 Red Sox win over the Cardinals in Fort Myers, Fla.

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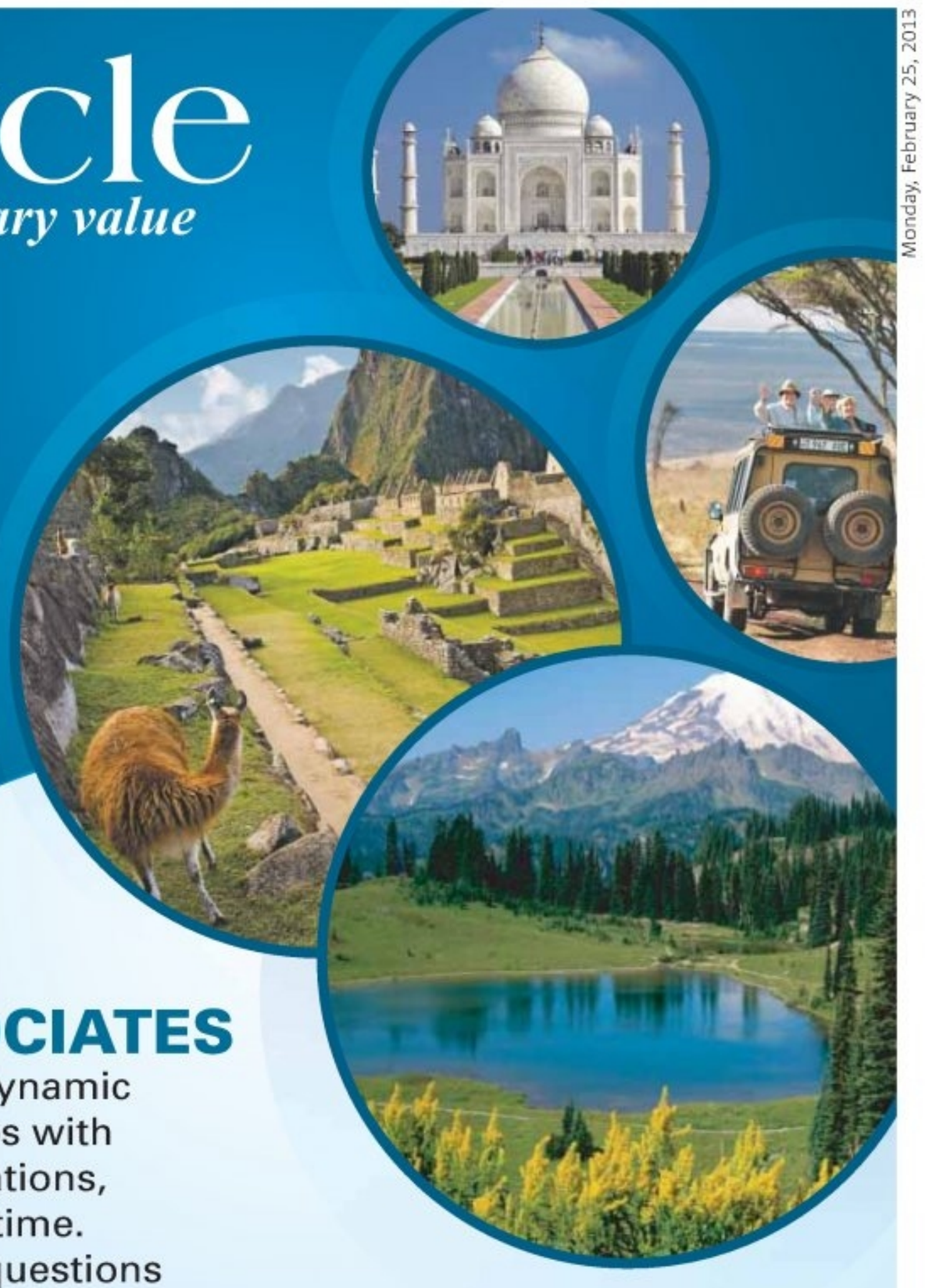

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